

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Examiner: Sereboff, Neal

In Re: Pradeep Padmakshan Achan  
Case: P1902  
Serial No.: 10/799,042  
Filed: March 11 2004  
Subject: System and method to develop health-care information systems

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

**Response A**